

EXPERIENCE

ASSOCIATION OF STATE DRINKING WATER ADMINISTRATORS

Washington, DC
Jul 2018 – Present

MANAGER OF REGULATORY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

Develops policies & positions on legislative & regulatory issues impacting state agencies & water systems. Liaises between the Environmental Protection Agency & ASDWA members. Analyzes and comments on Safe Drinking Water Act regulations, reports, & guidance. Tracks and analyzes new legislative & regulatory developments for the membership. Builds relationships with Congressional offices, providing education on potential legislative impacts. Supports development & planning of ASDWA's meetings & workshops.

AMERICAN WATER WORKS ASSOCIATION

Washington, DC
Oct 2016 – Jul 2018

REGULATORY ANALYST

Developed policy positions for AWWA regarding active & potential legislation & federal regulations. Supported the development & implementation of AWWA's federal water policy program by conducting research, supervising contracts, supporting volunteer deliberations, & interacting with federal agency staff on water regulations. Projects focus on water system partnerships, infrastructure funding & financing, & affordability issues.

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Austin, TX
Jun 2013 – Oct 2016

NATURAL RESOURCE SPECIALIST II

Managed a team of contractors to maintain an inventory of & provide technical assistance to abandoned or neglected public water systems as well as water systems affected by drought. Reviewed & approved Emergency Preparedness Plans. Lead the creating & maintaining of maps & GIS Data. Served as a representative on committees & workgroups. Prepared & presented reports & presentations for inter-agency meetings & the public.

NATURAL RESOURCE SPECIALIST I

Served as a project manager for public water systems with limited source water availability. Performed data collection, analysis, & research on drought & emergency water issues. Provided technical assistance & customer service to affected public water systems. Performed database management. Created & updated maps & shapefiles. Prepared reports for inter-agency task force meetings.

EDUCATION

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

Austin, TX
Graduated May 2013

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Major in Geography – Sustainability & Earth Sciences
Minor in Geology

JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY

Baltimore, MD
Graduation : May 2022

MASTER OF ARTS

Public Management
Focus: Public Administration & Leadership